

## MAJORITY RULE WITH HIGH HAND

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foreign nations in the matter of tonnage dues.

Senator Curtis gave notice of an amendment he will propose to the tariff bill, providing for a counter-vailing duty on oil imported into the United States from countries which impose a duty on American oil. The proposed duty is to be one-half of the duty imposed by the other country on American oil.

**Protection on the Sea.**

Declaring that though great on land, the United States is impotent at sea, Senator Elkins, of West Virginia, gave notice that at the next session of Congress he will present a bill to amend the act of 1890 to improve the situation. He was speaking on one of the shipping amendments to the tariff bill, and incidentally quoted his own amendment, permitting a reduction of 5 per cent. in the tariff on all merchandise imported in vessels of the United States.

Mr. Elkins asserted that the people of the United States were paying \$500,000 a day to foreign shippers. He called attention to the fact that while fifty years ago two vessels were transporting 92 per cent. of our own merchandise, "American vessels are now carrying only 7 per cent."

Charging that the government had done nothing to encourage American shipping since its abandonment of discriminating duties, Mr. Elkins referred to the perfection of the coastwise shipping service.

**Enormous Sums Spent.**

"We have," he said, "the finest coastwise shipping in the world. We do not permit foreign vessels to participate in it. Why should we allow them not only to participate, but practically to monopolize our foreign trade?"

"We have always had protection on land; why not have protection on the sea? Discriminating duties are one form of protection, and this form was adopted just as soon as the government went into operation, along with the policy of protecting and encouraging American industries on land. We complain of the internal revenue, State and customs tax, but are paying out \$200,000,000 to foreign ship-owners as an annual taxation. This at the end of ten years, amounts to \$2,000,000,000,000, and no one complains of our languishing industries on the sea."

## TAFT COOL, CROWD TERRIFIED, WHEN DANGER WAS NEAR

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This valley has furnished almost as much of a battleground for the three nations and the Indians who were on all sides as Belgium in Europe.

"I echo and emphasize the statements of the two ambassadors and repeat their prayer that never again will this great valley be given a name in history by reason of its being the seat of bloody wars."

**Governors There.**

Governor Hughes and Governor Prouty spoke briefly at Ticonderoga, where the Indian pageant was repeated to-night.

The President will see this pageant on Thursday.

### PLEADS NOT GUILTY

**American Sugar Refining Company Arraigned in U. S. Circuit Court.**

NEW YORK, July 6.—The American Sugar Refining Company is in the United States Circuit Court to-day, entered pleas of "not guilty" to the indictment of the two ambassadors and repeat their prayer that never again will this great valley be given a name in history by reason of its being the seat of bloody wars.

Judge Hand accepted the plea, and granted counsel two weeks' time to answer or take other action regarding the indictment. John Mayer, another director of the company, was given until July 15 to answer.

### WEAVERS WANT FRESH AIR

MEHLIN, MISS, July 6.—Asserting that the workrooms were not sufficiently ventilated, fifty weavers employed in the Meridian cotton mill walked out to-day when the management refused a request that the windows be kept open. The mill was immediately closed.

## ONE STAGE NEARER ENACTMENT

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 6.—The tariff bill passed from the committee of the House to the Senate this afternoon. The Senate thereupon took a recess to afford time to obtain a print of the bill as amended in committee of the Whole. It is expected that the bill will be passed by the Senate this week as comparatively little debate. The conference may meet Monday.

Senator Aldrich hopes that the bill will be on the statutes book within as short a period after its report to the House as was the Dingley law in 1897. The Dingley law was reported to the House March 18, passed the House March 21, reported by the Senate Finance Committee May 4, passed the Senate July 24.

The Payne-Aldrich bill was reported to the House March 18, passed by the House April 9, reported by the Senate Finance Committee April 12, recalled by the House April 19, returned April 19, and was reported again by the Senate Finance Committee the same day.

On and After Tuesday, July 6th, Our Store Closes at 5 o'clock, and at 1 o'clock on Saturday.

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## CUSHMAN, HUMORIST OF HOUSE, IS DEAD



CONGRESSMAN F. W. CUSHMAN.

## Congressman Who Bore Striking Resemblance to Lincoln Succumbs to Pneumonia.

NEW YORK, July 6.—Francis W. Cushman, representative in Congress from Tacoma, Wash., died this morning in Roosevelt Hospital from pneumonia. At his bedside at the time, beside the doctors and nurses, were United States Senator Samuel H. Pile, of Washington, and Andrew S. Burleigh, of this city, a life-long friend.

Congressman Cushman underwent an operation a short time ago and pneumonia resulted. Wrapped in an American flag, the body will be put aboard the Chicago limited of the Pennsylvania Railroad to-morrow morning and will be taken direct to Tacoma.

A congressional delegation of six members will escort the body from Pittsburgh to its destination.

**Humorist of the House.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 6.—Though Representative Cushman possessed unchallenged the title of "house humorist," he was universally regarded as far more than that. His high ability was recognized by Speaker Cannon in committee assignments, particularly in his selection to fill a vacancy on the Ways and Means Committee, at a time when a great tariff bill was to be reported to the House for consideration. He never displayed his gift of humor to the House for its mere amusement, but always with a view to impressing his opinion more forcibly upon that body. He will be long remembered by reason of the effectiveness of his humor in the debates on the Payne tariff bill in the House. His speech in defense of retaining the duty on lumber secured several additional votes for it, it was said, at the time the House voted on the schedule.

The Washington Congressman also held the title of being the homeliest man in the House and of looking more like Lincoln than any other public man.

of recent years. In summing up his career once, he said he had been "warrior, section hand, cowboy, school-teacher, lawyer and Congressman." He was in Congress more than ten years.

## SHIRT SLEEVES IN PULPIT

Worcester Pastor Sets Aside Conventionalities for the Hot Weather.

BOSTON, MASS., July 6.—Rev. Arthur Wright, pastor of Coral Street Church, Worcester, believes the conventionalities of life should be set aside when they interfere with personal comfort, and because of that belief he has issued a general invitation to "hatless women and coatless men" to attend the services at his church when the weather is such as to make the hat and the coat a bothersome burden.

"As for the invitation to hatless women, that invitation holds good at all times, warm or cold weather. When I attended the New England Conference of the Methodist Church, I happened to sit behind a young woman who wore a very large hat. I thought how many times I would be apt to attend church service if I felt as though I would be obliged to contend with big hats each time I went to church. Perhaps I am showing man's prejudices, though."

As for the coatless men, I have always felt that one should dress for comfort, and to my mind the shirt waist should be in that favor among men in hot weather.

From experience I find that men will come to the church in their shirt sleeves on hot days quicker than they will if they have to wear coats. In my first parish in West Medway I occupied the pulpit without my coat on several different occasions, and I'm going to do it here if the weather should be as hot as we have been getting lately."

### OBITUARY

**William H. Mallory.**

William H. Mallory died yesterday at the age of seventy-five years. The body will be taken to Petersburg this afternoon at 12:10 o'clock by way of the Atlantic Coast Line. The funeral services will occur at the Blandford Church, and interment will be in the Blandford Cemetery.

**Felix A. Sharp.**

Felix A. Sharp died Monday at Highland Springs. He leaves a widow and five children—Mrs. W. E. Dillon, Mrs. John Bowles, Mrs. John Conley, Charles Sharp and D. M. Sharp; one sister, William M. Sharp, and one nephew, William M. Sharp. He was also sixteen grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. The funeral will occur this afternoon from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Bowles, at 1704 West Broad Street. Interment will be in Riverview Cemetery.

**Martha Barnes.**

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

MARSHALL, VA., July 6.—Martha Barnes died at her home last night near Keyesville, aged ninety-three years. She will be buried on Wednesday afternoon at the family burying ground. She is survived by her husband, W. H. Barnes, and the following children: W. H. Barnes, O. and Addie Barnes, of Keyesville; Mrs. Thomas Crum, of Meherlin; W. N. Barnes, of Greensboro, N. C.; O. B. Barnes, of Blon College, N. C.; and A. D. Barnes, of Chapel Hill, N. C. She was a member of the Christian Church, and was a Confederate soldier. He had one son who served throughout the war.

Monday afternoon at the family burying ground. He is survived by his widow, who was Miss Susan J. Barnes, whom he married at the age of twenty years, and the following children: W. H. Barnes, O. and Addie Barnes, of Keyesville; Mrs. Thomas Crum, of Meherlin; W. N. Barnes, of Greensboro, N. C.; O. B. Barnes, of Blon College, N. C.; and A. D. Barnes, of Chapel Hill, N. C. She was a member of the Christian Church, and was a Confederate soldier. He had one son who served throughout the war.

**WINCHESTER, VA., July 6.**—Martin F. Yeakley, aged seventy-three years, a leading Frederick county farmer, died to-day at home near Chambersville after a few days' illness, caused by heat prostration.

During the Civil War he served in Company A, Thirty-ninth Battalion, which acted as General Robert E. Lee's bodyguard.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Ann Hodgson Yeakley, two sons—Dr. Holmes Yeakley, of Keyesville, Va., and Fred Yeakley, at home—and one daughter, Mrs. J. A. Richard, of Winchester.

**Mrs. Virginia Leary.**

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., July 6.—Mrs. Virginia Leary, widow of Dr. W. V. Leary, of Quantico, died suddenly at her home Sunday. She was a sister of Captain E. D. Cole and Mrs. W. N. Tansill, of this city.

### DEATHS

**BARNES.**—Died, Tuesday morning, July 6, at his home in Lunenburg county, near Keyesville, Va., MASTIN BARNES, aged ninety-three years.

**SHARP.**—Died, at Highland Springs, Va., 11 P. M., July 5, 1909, FELIX A. SHARP. He leaves his wife and five children and one brother and one sister to mourn their loss.

Funeral at 2 o'clock THIS (Wednesday) afternoon from the residence of his sister, 1704 West Broad Street. Interment Riverview.

**JAMES.**—Died, at the residence of her son-in-law, E. M. Barksdale, Petersburg, Va., July 5, 11:45 P. M., MRS. MARGARET ELIZABETH JAMES, wife of the late John W. James, of Chesterfield county. She is survived by five children—W. G. James, of Chesterfield county; J. Rev. R. G. of King George county; Va.; J. S. of this city; T. A. James and Mrs. E. M. Barksdale, of Petersburg, Va.

Services and burial at the family burying ground in Chesterfield county THIS (Wednesday) NOON, June 7, at 12 o'clock.

**MALLORY.**—Died, at his residence in this city Tuesday morning, July 6, 1909, at 6 o'clock, WILLIAM H. MALLORY, Esq., aged seventy-five years. The remains will be taken to Petersburg, Va., on 12:10 P. M. Coast Line train TO-DAY (Wednesday). Services in Blandford Church and interment in Blandford Cemetery. Kindly omit flowers.

**TAYLOR.**—The remains of MRS. ANNIE M. TAYLOR are now at her sister's residence, 3601 East Marshall Street.

The funeral will take place from Venable Street Baptist Church THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON at 4 o'clock.

**ALLEN.**—Died, Tuesday, July 6, at his residence, 3114 East Broad, JAMES H. ALLEN.

Funeral notice later.

### IN MEMORIAM

**MILLNER.**—On the morning of July 2, at the Memorial Hospital, the spirit of CAPTAIN WILLIAM H. MILLNER passed into the Great Unknown. Captain Millner was born in Pittsylvania county in 1839. He served during the Civil War as first lieutenant and afterwards as captain. He was a man of generous impulses and genial nature, which traits won for him a number of warm personal friends, who deeply deplore his loss. Captain Millner had been in delicate health for the past ten years, and the last year of his life was passed in intense suffering, patiently borne. He is survived by his wife and three children, one of whom is Mr. C. H. Millner, of this city, who for a number of years has been engaged in the transfer business here.

"Gone, but not forgotten."

## Children Cry FOR FEETCHER'S CASTORIA

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Tickets now on sale to all principal resorts in Virginia. Excursion sleeping car reservations and all information upon application to

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## Last Week of Our Great Sale Slightly Used Pianos.

Fast selling—great values in Slightly Used Pianos in perfect condition—have been the order here the past week.

While the Pianos have sold rapidly, we are offering a new list of instruments this week, fresh from our workrooms, where they were put in ideal condition.

Come this week! It's your last chance!

One \$310 Cornish Piano, hand-some mahogany case, upright; our price this week... **\$215**

One \$325 Gibson Piano, ebony case, upright; our price this week... **\$165**

One \$325 Baily Piano, dark mahogany case, upright; our price this week... **\$190**

Another \$300 Ruckert Piano, ebony case, upright; our price this week... **\$85**

One \$350 Brinkerhoff Piano, mahogany case, upright; our price this week... **\$205**

One \$325 Dunham Piano, rosewood case, upright; our price this week... **\$160**

One \$375 Standard Piano, mahogany case, upright; our price this week... **\$260**

One \$300 McEwen Piano, ebony case, upright; our price this week... **\$137**

**Combination Bargain.—Brewster Piano and Pianola.** A recent sale of a Pianola Piano brought these two slightly used instruments to us. Perfect condition. \$325 Brewster Piano and \$250 Pianola. Our price for both this week... **\$295**

These great values can come from no other Richmond house, because no other house sells Pianola Pianos. All the above were taken in exchange for the Pianola Piano, and are of good makes and in fine condition. The sale ends Saturday, July 10, when we take inventory.

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## LONDON FLOCKS TO GREET NEW SOCIETY PLAYWRIGHT

Critics Say Mrs. Cornwallis West's Comedy is "Slow" But People Applaud and Author Announces That She Will Write a Political Drama Next.

LONDON, July 6.—By launching her first play this afternoon at the Hicks Theatre, Mrs. George Cornwallis West, formerly Miss Jennie Jerome, of New York, added another to her claims to be one of the most versatile women in London. The play is a society comedy, entitled "His Borrowed Plumes." The house was packed with persons prominent in society, a large majority of them being women. Mrs. Cornwallis West and her two sons, Winston and John, occupied a box and applauded vigorously. Ellen Terry and a party of guests also were present, as were Earl and Countess Grey, the Duchess of Marlborough, Lord Charles Beresford, Mrs. S. Keppel and Lady De Bathe.

Mrs. Cornwallis West had the advantage of the finest possible acting and mounting, which made the most of her play. The gowns were gorgeous, and the hats marvel of size. Mrs. West Campbell took the principal role, that of a literary woman, whose husband, also with literary ambitions, loved another woman of the adventuress type.

The husband was played by Dawson Milward, and the adventuress by Gertrude Kingston. Henry Ainley took the part of the man who loved the heroine, and tried to persuade her to leave her faithless husband. "The Borrowed Plumes" was a play which the husband cribbed from his wife's manuscript of a novel, which she had stolen. The story centered about this incident, and the heroine's effort to win back her husband from the clutches of the man who had stolen her manuscript. The critics, however, say the action of the piece is slow.

Mrs. Cornwallis West declared to-day that if this effort succeeded she would write a political drama.

**Kappa Alpha in Convention.**

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., July 6.—The most important subject before the twenty-fifth biennial convention of the Kappa Alpha Fraternity, which began here to-day, with Edward Chambers Smith, of Raleigh, N. C., knight commander, was an extension of the order's territory. Rowan C. Greer, of Memphis, was elected president of the convention.

## SEEKS TO KILL PRIEST

**Woman Artist Fires at Him as He Passes Along Street.**

BURLINGTON, VT., July 6.—An attempt to assassinate the Rev. Joseph M. Sullivan, connected with St. Mary's Cathedral, was made to-day. The police arrested Miss Beatrice Thompson, an artist, aged forty years, who was charged with assault, with intent to kill.

The woman, according to Rev. Father Giles, was passing through Loomis Street and fired a revolver at him, the bullet passing through an umbrella which he was carrying.

The police state that Miss Thompson has shown a fanatical aversion to the Catholic faith, and that she has been making charges against priests and nuns, which were found to be unwarranted.

## CANADIAN MINERS STRIKE

**Strike Continues Between Rival Coal Owners in Dominion.**

SYDNEY, C. B., July 6.—The strike of the United Mine Workers of America, which is regarded as a contest between that organization and the Provincial Workingmen's Association, the members of which latter organization trained at work took place at the collieries of the Dominion Coal Company to-day. About 60,000 men failed to appear at the mines this morning. Both organizations claim the majority of the workers in the mines.

The agitation of which the strike is the culmination has been in progress for nearly a year, over the efforts of officials to the United Mine Workers of America to secure recognition by the company operating in this province. The American labor leaders have been strongly opposed by officers of the Provincial Workingmen's Association and by the coal company, whose members declared that the American labor leaders were seeking to divert the Canadian coal trade to the collieries in the United States.

In the course of the last month the controversy between the two labor organizations became very bitter, bearing violence, the coal company

## Auction Sales, This Day.

By J. B. Elam & Co., Real Estate Auctioneers.

**TRUSTEE'S PUBLIC AUCTION SALE OF EXCELLENT RENTING AND INVESTMENT PROPERTY.**

Nos. 2818-2820-2822-2824 N Street

And 902-904-904½ N. 30th St.

In part execution of a certain deed of trust dated May 6, 1907, and recorded in D. B. 182 C, Page 405, Richmond Chancery Court, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured, and being required so to do by the beneficiary, I shall sell by public auction on the premises on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 7, 1909, beginning at 5:30 o'clock P. M. and continuing in the order mentioned, the estate in the city of Richmond described in said deed of trust, to-wit:

First.—The four neat and attractive two-story frame tenement dwellings Nos. 2818-2822-2824 N. Street, containing six rooms and hall room each, of good size and having city water. The front together 12x140 feet to a 10-foot alley at the northwest corner of Twenty-ninth and N Streets.

And immediately thereafter, say at 6 o'clock, I shall sell No. 902, 904, 904½ North Thirtieth Street, being three two-story frame tenement dwellings containing three rooms each, and having city water, the lots fronting together about 48x134 feet to an alley 12 feet wide, located on the west side of Thirtieth Street, between N and O Streets.

The dwellings on N Street rent for \$10 per month each with the exception of the corner, which rents for \$10.50 per month, and the dwellings on Thirtieth Street rent for \$7 per month each, and are regularly tenanted by excellent tenants.

On account of the convenient location of the street car, located as they are in such good renting district, the property offered above will pay handsomely as an investment or will make excellent homes for parties of moderate means.

The properties will be offered as a whole or in separate parcels as may seem best. All of sale, and all parties seeking good paying investment properties or small homes are urged to attend this sale at the hour mentioned.

O. H. FUNSTEN, Trustee.

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No. 109 E. Franklin St. BETWEEN FIRST AND SECOND STREETS. LOT 46x153 FEET. A CHOICE LOCATION FOR A PHYSICIAN.

In execution of the will of M. A. F. Currant, deceased, and pursuant to an order of the Chancery Court of Richmond city, in the suit of "Buckley vs. Branch," entered on the 30th day of June, 1909, I will offer for sale at public auction on the premises on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 7, 1909, at 10 o'clock P. M. the above mentioned house and lot.

This house is conveniently arranged, has wide halls and 12 rooms, besides bath room, servant's room and kitchen, and its location, as well as its surroundings are all that could be desired.

TERMS: One-fourth cash; balance at six, twelve and eighteen months, for negotiable notes, with interest added from day of sale, and secured by a deed of trust, or all cash at option of the purchaser.

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TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), JULY 7, at our auction salesrooms, No. 618 East Broad Street, commencing at 10:30 o'clock.

Bedroom Suits, Sideboards, Tables, Chairs, Rockers, Parlor Suits, Pictures, Mirrors, Mattresses, Brass Beds, Iron Beds, Laid Curtains, China, Closets and every article in a home.

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## Auction Sales, Future Days

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## COURT SALE AT AUCTION OF COTTAGE DWELLING.

No. 1120 N. Twenty-Sixth Street

In execution of a decree of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, entered on June 25, 1909, in the suit of Marshall E. Traylor, as guardian, etc., vs. John E. Traylor and others, I will sell by auction, on the premises on

THURSDAY, JULY 8, 1909, at 5:30 o'clock P. M. the above mentioned dwelling, containing three or four rooms. Lot twenty-four feet front by a depth of one hundred and twenty feet to a 10-foot alley.

TERMS: Cash.

JOHN GARLAND POLLARD, Special Commissioner.

I certify that the bond required by the above decree entered June 25, 1909, has been duly given.

Given under my hand this 1st day of July, 1909.

CHAS. O. SAVILLE, Clerk.

By Augustine Royal & Co., Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, Office, 927 Hull Street, Manchester, Va.

**ADMINISTRATRIX SALE OF VALUABLE Personal Property**

AT THE STOREHOUSE OF THE LATE T. L. CRESLEY, IN SWANBORO, VA., ON

FRIDAY, JULY 9, 1909, AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M., ON THE PREMISES.

I will sell at public auction on the day, hour and place above named the following valuable personal property: One Five-Point Case, Computing Scale, Clock, Saw Tables, Sausage Machine, Lard Presser, and many other articles of household and business value.

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